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Price-List of Bulbs



f.R. Dierson Co. Carrytown New York



PRICE LIST of BULBS

for

Winter Forcing
and
Outdoor Planting
for
Spring Flowering
FALL 1915



F. R. PIERSON CO. TARRYTOWN, NEW YORK Telephone, 48 Tarrytown

Lilies

LILIUM HARRISII (The Bermuda Easter Lily)

We offer a selected stock of the true original Harrisii for early forcing. The bulbs have been grown from the original pure Harrisii, and will be found to be splendid stock for early forcing, for which purpose Harrisii is so valuable. Our stock will be found very superior to the ordinary Harrisii usually offered.

For Christmas flowering, bulbs should be potted as early in August as they can be procured. For this purpose our 6 to 7-inch is preferable, as this size can be brought into bloom much earlier than the larger bulbs. When forced for Christmas, the bulbs require a temperature of at least 65 degrees at night.

6 to 7-inch bulbs, 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen, \$7.50 per 100. 7 to 9-inch bulbs. (Sold out.) 9 to 11-inch bulbs. (Sold out.)

LILIUM FORMOSUM (Ready in September)

An early type of Lilium Longiflorium, grown on the Island of Formosa. Not quite so early as Harrisii, but much earlier than the regular Longiflorum. We offer the black-stemmed variety, which is superior to the green, the cost of the bulbs being a trifle more, but they are well worth the difference in price.

7 to 9-inch bulbs, 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen, \$10.00 per 100. 9 to 10-inch bulbs, 25c. each, \$2.50 per dozen, \$15.00 per 100.

LILIUM GIGANTEUM (Ready in October)

This flowers much more freely than Multiflorum, and the flowers are larger and longer and have more substance, but it blooms a little later, and requires a little more time to bloom. It is distinguished by its dark brownish stem. It should be grown cool until the buds are set, after which it will stand any amount of forcing.

7 to 9-inch bulbs, 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen, \$8.00 per 100. 9 to 10-inch bulbs, 25c. each, \$2.50 per dozen, \$14.00 per 100.

COLD-STORAGE LILIUM GIGANTEUM

7 to 9-inch bulbs, \$9.00 per 100. 9 to 10-inch bulbs, \$15.00 per 100.

LILIUM CANDIDUM (The Annunciation Lily) Mammoth bulbs, 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen, \$9.00 per 100.

Lily of the Valley

New importation ready in November

PIERSON'S PERFECTION

This is an extra selected grade for those who desire the finest valley grown. Price of valley has been driven down so low that it has been at the expense of quality, and growers are realizing that a really first-class article cannot be furnished at prices at which valley has been selling. The pips that we offer we have had selected for us with great care and they are the very finest pips grown in Germany. \$2.50 per 100, \$20.00 per 1000, \$35.00 per case of 2,000 pips.

Lily of the Valley

COLD-STORAGE

We carry only one grade of lily of the valley, and that the very highest quality obtainable. Coldstorage valley should always be used for December and early January flowering, for, while new importations arrive in November, the new stock does not force easily or give the requisite amount of foliage so early in the season; so that the coldstorage stock should always be relied upon for December and January forcing. It is advisable to place orders in advance for the quantity desired, which can be reserved, and shipped as wanted. Cold-storage stock must necessarily be shipped by express. Cases containing 250 pips, \$6.25 each. Cases containing 500 pips, \$12.00 each.

Japan Lilies

Ready in November

LILIUM AURATUM

White, with crimson spots and yellow stripe. 8 to 9-inch bulbs 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen. 9 to 11-inch bulbs, 20c. each, \$2.00 per dozen.

LILIUM ALBUM

Pure white. 8 to 9-inch bulbs, 20c. each, \$2.00 per dozen. 9 to 11-inch bulbs, 30c. each, \$3.00 per dozen.

LILIUM MELPOMENE

White, very heavily spotted dark crimson. 8 to 9-inch bulbs, 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen.

LILIUM RUBRUM

White, shaded deep rose and spotted red. 8 to 9-inch bulbs, 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen. 9 to 11-inch bulbs, 20c. each, \$2.00 per dozen.

Selected Named Hyacinths

Ready in September

The varieties offered are the finest and those best adapted for winter-flowering for pot-culture or out-of-door bedding. The bulbs are large and will produce the largest and most perfect spikes and the most beautiful flowers.

CHARLES DICKENS, Pink

Beautiful pink. Finely formed, large spike. 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen, \$8.00 per 100.

CZAR PETER

Light porcelain blue. 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen. \$9.00 per 100.

GERTRUDE

Bright pink. Fine compact spike. 12c. each, \$1.25 per dozen, \$7.00 per 100.

GIGANTEA

Light delicate flesh-pink. Compact spike. 12c. each, \$1.25 per dozen, \$7.00 per 100.

GRAND MAITRE

Deep porcelain blue. Large truss. Extra. 12c. each, \$1.25 per dozen, \$7.00 per 100.

KING OF THE BLUES

Dark blue. Extra large spike. 12c. each, \$1.25 per dozen, \$7.00 per 100.

LA GRANDESSE

Pure white. Splendid bells. Large spike. 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen, \$9.00 per 100.

L'INNOCENCE

Pure white. Fine massive spike. 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen, \$8.00 per 100.

QUEEN OF THE BLUES

Light blue. Large bells. Fine spike. 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen, \$8.00 per 100.

ROBERT STEIGER

Deep bright pink. Small compact truss. 12c. each, \$1.25 per dozen, \$7.00 per 100.

Separate Colors

These are largely used for bedding, and by many growers are used for forcing, but we do not recommend them for forcing, as nothing but named varieties should be used for that purpose.

ROSE, DARK RED, BLUSH WHITE, PURE WHITE, LIGHT BLUE, DARK BLUE. 8c. each, 75c. per dozen, \$3.50 per 100.

Roman Hyacinths

The bulbs that we offer are of the finest quality, obtained from the very best sources, carefully packed and graded, so that they cannot fail to give the very best satisfaction.

WHITE ROMANS

Extra quality bulbs, 12 to 15 cm. in circumference, 10c. each, \$1.00 per dozen, \$5.00 per 100.

PINK ROMANS

Light flesh pink. Flowers semi-double. Extra quality bulbs, 12 to 15 cm. in circumference, 8c. each, 75c. per dozen, \$4.00 per 100.

Single Early Tulips

Ready in September

We offer only the very finest sorts, those that are best for forcing for winter and bedding. All of the varieties offered are desirable for bedding, but all are not desirable for forcing. The descriptions indicate those best adapted for forcing and most valuable for that purpose.

ARTUS

A fine scarlet for bedding, also very good for forcing. A little later than *Crimson King* or *Belle Alliance*. 25c. per dozen, \$1.25 per 100, \$9.00 per 1,000.

BELLE ALLIANCE

Brilliant scarlet. An extra fine forcing variety. 35c. per dozen, \$1.75 per 100, \$14.00 per 1,000.

CHRYSOLORA

Pure golden yellow; extra large. Finest yellow tulip for bedding. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, \$12.00 per 1,000.

COTTAGE MAID

An exquisite color—lovely bright pink, heavily marked with white at center and base of petals. A fine pink tulip for bedding, also an extra fine late forcing variety. Cannot be forced early. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, \$11.00 per 1,000.

COULEUR CARDINAL

Dark scarlet-crimson. Flower large, long, and pointed. Extra fine for forcing. 40c. per dozen, \$2.00 per 100, \$16.50 per 1,000.

CRAMOISE BRILLIANT

Brilliant scarlet. Flowers very large. Splendid for forcing or bedding. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, \$12.00 per 1,000.

CRIMSON KING

Crimson-scarlet; very brilliant. Fine bedder; also good for late forcing. 25c. per dozen, \$1.25 per 100, \$10.00 per 1,000.

DUCHESSE DE PARMA

Orange-red, with yellow edge. Very showy. A good forcer and a fine bedder. 35c. per dozen, \$1.75 per 100, \$14.00 per 1,000.

KEIZERSKROON (Grand Duc)

Red, heavily bordered golden yellow. Extra large flower. One of the very finest tulips for forcing or bedding. 40c. per dozen, \$2.00 per 100, \$18.00 per 1,000.

LA REINE

White, slightly shaded pink. A favorite forcing variety, and also fine for bedding. 25c. per dozen, \$1.25 per 100, \$9.50 per 1,000.

POTTEBAKKER WHITE

A very fine white forcing tulip; also extra fine for bedding. Extra large flower. Very early. 45c. per dozen, \$2.25 per 100, \$19.00 per 1,000.

PRINCE OF AUSTRIA

Bright orange-scarlet. Strong grower and very large flower. Extra fine for forcing of bedding. 35c. per dozen, \$1.75 per 100, \$15.00 per 1,000.

PROSERPINE

Violet-rose—a lovely color. Extra large and fine for early forcing especially, and also extra fine for bedding. 60c. per dozen, \$3.00 per 100, \$26.00 per 1,000.

ROSE GRISDELIN

Best pink tulip for early forcing. Lovely delicate pink; a little lighter than Cottage Maid. 25c. per dozen, \$1.25 per 100, \$10.00 per 1,000.

ROSE LUISANTE

Superb rose. Very large and extra fine. Splendid for forcing or bedding. 50c. per dozen, \$2.50 per 100, \$20.00 per 1,000.

VERMILION BRILLIANT

Finest of all scarlets for forcing, and the most brilliant. Very large flower. An extra choice variety. 40c. per dozen, \$2.00 per 100, \$18.00 per 1,000.

WHITE HAWK

Pure white. Early. One of the finest whites for forcing or bedding. 40c. per dozen, \$2.00 per 100, \$18.00 per 1,000.

YELLOW PRINCE

The standard yellow forcing tulip; also fine for bedding. When bedded shows faint lines and markings of red. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, \$12.00 per 1,000.

FINEST MIXED

Extra choice mixture from named varieties. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, \$10.00 per 1,000.

Double Tulips

COURONNE D'OR

Yellow, shaded orange. Extra fine for forcing. 50c. per dozen, \$2.50 per 100, \$22.00 per 1,000.

GLORIA SOLIS

Crimson, with yellow margin. Fine bedder; one of the showiest tulips for this purpose; also a fine forcing variety. Very similar to *Tournesol Red and Yellow* in color. Cannot be forced early. 35c. per dozen, \$1.75 per 100, \$14.00 per 1,000.

IMPERATOR RUBRORUM

Very fine bright scarlet. Finest of all double scarlets for forcing. 40c. per dozen, \$2.00 per 100, \$18.00 per 1,000.

LA CANDEUR

Pure white. Fine for bedding, and also for Easter forcing. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, \$11.50 per 1,000.

MURILLO

A magnificent flower, blush white, shaded rose. Large fine flower. Extra fine for forcing. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, \$11.50 per 1,000.

RUBRA MAXIMA

Fine scarlet. Darker than Rex Rubrorum. Extra for forcing or bedding. 35c. per dozen, \$1.75 per 100, \$14.50 per 1,000.

SALVATOR ROSA

Deep rose, flamed white. Highly recommended for very early forcing. 35c. per dozen, \$1.75 per 100, \$14.50 per 1,000.

TOURNESOL RED AND YELLOW

Scarlet, bordered yellow. Extra fine for forcing. Exceedingly showy. 55c. per dozen, \$2.75 per 100, \$23.00 per 1,000.

YELLOW ROSE

Bright yellow. Late. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, \$11.00 per 1,000.

FINEST MIXED

Extra choice mixture from named varieties. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, \$11.50 per 1,000.

Single Late Tulips

These late-flowering tulips are very desirable on account of their late season of blooming and their showy flowers. They bloom after the early flowering tulips are gone, and the flowers are exceedingly showy. They are borne on long stems, growing nearly three feet in height, and continue in flower from about the middle to the end of May, depending on the season and locality. Especially fine for cutting.

Darwin

BARONNE DE LA TONNAYE

Vivid rose. Very large. One of the finest of the Darwins. 50c. per dozen, \$2.50 per 100.

CLARA BUTT

Beautiful clear salmon-pink. 45c. per dozen, \$2.25 per 100.

DREAM

Dark lilac-lavender. 60c. per dozen, \$3.00 per 100.

EUROPE

Salmon-scarlet, outer petals shaded carmine. 60c. per dozen, \$3.00 per 100.

GRETCHEN (Margaret)

Silvery pink. 45c. per dozen, \$2.25 per 100.

MME. KRELAGE

Bright rose, changing to silvery rose. 55c. per dozen, \$2.75 per 100.

MR. FARNCOMBE SANDERS

Bright carmine-scarlet. Tall grower. Very fine large flowers. 70c. per dozen, \$3.50 per 100.

PRIDE OF HAARLEM

Salmon-rose, shaded scarlet. 55c. per dozen, \$2.75 per 100.

PROF. FRANCIS DARWIN

Bright carmine rose. 50c. per dozen, \$2.50 per 100.

THE SULTAN

Blackish maroon. 45c. per dozen, \$2.25 per 100.

WHITE QUEEN

White, tinged lavender. 60c. per dozen, \$3.00 per 100.

FINEST MIXED

All colors. 35c. per dozen, \$1.75 per 100, \$14.00 per 1,000.

May Flowering, or Cottage

BIZARDS

All colors mixed. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100.

BYBLOOMS

All colors mixed. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100.

BOUTON D'OR

Pure golden yellow. Very showy. Extra fine. Very tall. 40c. per dozen, \$2.00 per 100.

GESNERIANA LUTEA

Bright golden yellow. Very late. 50c. per dozen, \$2.50 per 100.

GESNERIANA SPATHULATA

The true Gesneriana. Dark brilliant scarlet with black center. Very large. 40c. per dozen, \$2.00 per 100.

PICOTEE (Maiden's Blush)

White, delicately edged rose. A very beautiful tulip. 40c. per dozen, \$2.00 per 100.

Parrot

ADMIRAL OF CONSTANTINOPLE

Orange-scarlet. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100.

LUTEA MAJOR

Golden yellow. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100.

MARKGRAFF VAN BADEN

Orange-yellow, outside of petals striped scarlet. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100.

PERFECTA

Yellow, striped scarlet. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100.

FINEST MIXED

All colors mixed. 25c. per dozen, \$1.25 per 100.

Narcissus

Ready in September

Large Single Trumpet

EMPEROR

Deep yellow trumpet, sulphur perianth. Immense. The finest of this section. Selected double-nosed bulbs, 60c. per dozen, \$3.00 per 100.

GOLDEN SPUR

A magnificent single trumpet narcissus, with enormous flowers of deep golden yellow. Very early. Selected double-nosed bulbs, 65c. per dozen, \$3.25 per 100.

VICTORIA

A variety of great merit. Petals broad and flat, with bold yellow trumpet. An extra large fine flower. Selected double-nosed bulbs, 65c. per dozen, \$3.25 per 100.

Double-Flowered

ALBA PLENA ODORATA

Double; pure white gardenia-like flowers, exquisitely scented. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100.

DOUBLE VON SION, or DOUBLE YELLOW DAFFODIL

This is one of the most useful and profitable of winter-flowering blubs, and is forced in large quantities. There is nothing in which quality is so important as in Von Sions—color and form of flower, size of bulbs, etc. The flower of the stock we offer is the pure golden yellow. Selected mammoth double-nosed, or top root, bulbs, 70c. per dozen, \$3.50 per 100.

ORANGE PHOENIX

Double white flowers with orange nectary. 40c. per dozen, \$2.00 per 100.

Jonquils

GIANT CAMPERNELLE RUGULOSUS

Much larger and finer than the old favorite Campernelle Jonquil, a much freer bloomer, and much more desirable, especially for forcing. Beautiful single yellow star-shaped flowers, beautifully imbricated, borne in clusters of four to six on a stem, delightfully fragrant. Also very hardy, and invaluable for outdoor planting. 25c. per dozen, \$1.25 per 100, \$9.00 per 1,000.

Miscellaneous Sorts

BARRI CONSPICUUS

Beautiful canary-yellow, with deep golden cup, richly edged orange-scarlet. Flowers three to three and a half inches in diameter, borne on long stems. Fine for forcing or outdoor planting. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, \$10.00 per 1,000.

MRS. LANGTRY

The finest of the *Leedsii* type. Broad white petals, with large white cup, edged yellow. Exceedingly beautiful. A very strong grower and an abundant bloomer. Magnificent for late forcing or for outdoor planting. Exceedingly valuable for cutting. 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, \$10.00 per 1,000.

POETICUS ORNATUS

The Improved Poeticus. Pure white, with scarlet ring. Much finer in form and much earlier than Poeticus. A magnificent cut flower. This is becoming more and more largely used for forcing. Double-nosed bulbs, 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, \$10.00 per 1,000.

Chinese Sacred Lily

(Narcissus orientalis)

A favorite bulb, as it makes a fine house plant, and is one of the best bulbs for that purpose. We offer the finest quality bulbs, grown in China, insuring a luxuriant growth and a remarkable profusion of flowers. 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen.

Paper White Grandiflora

Much larger and better than the ordinary variety; blooming in larger clusters and coming into flower earlier. The bulbs that we offer are of the very finest quality obtainable.

Extra quality bulbs, 13 cm. and up in circumference, 40c. per dozen, \$2.00 per 100, \$13.00 per 1,000.

Astilbe, or Spirea

Ready in November

GLADSTONE

This is by far the best of all the spireas for winter-flowering. No other spirea compares with it in any way. It flowers in immense feathery snowwhite plumes, which are very freely produced. 15c. each, \$1.50 per dozen.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA

A new pink spirea. Similar to Gladstone in habit, but flowers are a delicate rose-pink. 20c. each, \$2.00 per dozen.

Callas

Our bulbs are grown for us by one of the most careful and experienced growers on the Pacific coast. They are very carefully cured, and are perfectly sound, with good strong centers—an important consideration. Growers will find that these dormant bulbs produce much finer flowers and in greater abundance than plants that have been flowered from year to year, the difference in results being so great that it well repays the seeming expense of an outlay of bulbs each year.

WHITE

Selected bulbs, 13/4 inches in diameter, 25c. each, \$2.50 per dozen.

Mammoth bulbs, 2 inches in diameter, 30c. each, \$3.00 per dozen.

ELLIOTTANA (The Yellow Calla)

Flowers large, rich dark golden yellow. Leaves beautifully spotted with white. Valuable for fall planting in greenhouses for early spring flowering. Both cut flowers and pot plants bring the very highest prices at Easter. Bulbs potted in November will, in a night temperature of 55 degrees, bloom in about twelve weeks. Extra sized bulbs (ready in November), 40c. each, \$4.00 per dozen.

Crocus

Ready in September

We offer extra large selected bulbs, averaging 1¼ inch and up in diameter. Varieties officeed are also the very finest. They are very desirable for forcing, and these large bulbs are much finer for bedding than smaller bulbs, as they throw an unusually large number of flowers.

MAMMOTH YELLOW

Deep golden yellow.

PURPUREA GRANDIFLORA

Dark purple; very largest size. Magnificent.

QUEEN OF THE NETHERLANDS

Pure white, fine large flower. Extra fine.

Above three sorts, mammoth bulbs, 30c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, \$10.00 per 1,000.

FINEST MIXED

Mammoth bulbs, all colors. 25c. per dozen, \$1.25 per 100, \$9.00 per 1,000.

Chionodoxa

Ready in September

LUCILIÆ (Glory of the Snow)

Deep blue with white center. 25c. per dozen, \$1.25 per 100.

Dielytra

Ready in November

SPECTABILIS (Bleeding Heart)

Strong clumps from ground. 20c. each, \$2.00 per dozen.

Freesias

Very large quantities of these bulbs are now grown for winter-flowering, as they are very useful and profitable.

PURITY

A fine pure white freesia. Flowers very large and delicately fragrant. First sized bulbs, ½ to 3/8 inch in diameter, 40c. per dozen, \$2.00 per 100. Extra sized bulbs, 5/8 inch and up in diameter, 50c. per dozen, \$2.50 per 100.

Forcing Gladiolus

Ready in October

COLVILLI ALBA "THE BRIDE"

Pure white flowers. Dwarf habit. This is being more and more largely planted, as it is one of the most useful cut flowers that can be grown. Invaluable for forcing and for outdoor blooming. 25c. per dozen, \$1.25 per 100.

BLUSHING BRIDE

A splendid forcing variety. Blooms earlier than Colvilli Alba. Flowers large, pure white, with pink markings. Very desirable and valuable. 25c. per dozen, \$1.25 per 100.

PEACH BLOSSOM

Flowers a beautiful shade of pink. Belongs to the same class as *Blushing Bride*, and blooms six weeks before *Colvilli Alba*. 25c. per dozen, \$1.50 per 100.

Spanish Iris

Ready in September

Fine for late forcing; can be had in flower early in April. Also good for outdoor culture, flowering in the open ground in June, requiring only a slight covering in winter. Claimed by many to be entirely hardy. They are so beautiful they should be extensively planted.

BELLE CHINOISE

Bright golden yellow. Best early sort.

BRITISH QUEEN

Early. Finest white.

DARLING

Dark blue. Early.

Above three sorts, 20c. per dozen, \$1.00 per 100, \$7.00 per 1,000.

FINEST MIXED

Extra fine mixed varieties. 20c. per dozen, \$1.00 per 100, \$6.50 per 1,000.

Lily of the Valley

CLUMPS

Large clumps from ground for outdoor planting. 30c. each, \$3.00 per dozen, \$20.00 per 100.

For Lily of the Valley pips for forcing, see page 3.

Scilla

Ready in September

CAMPANULATA CERULEA

Blue; tall. 25c. per dozen, \$1.25 per 100.

SIBERICA

Bright blue; early. 25c. per dozen, \$1.25 per 100.

Snowdrops

(Galanthus)

Ready in September

ELWESII

A giant variety, producing exceptionally large flowers. 25c. per dozen \$1.25 per 100, \$8.50 per 1,000.

Lawn Grass Seed

PIERSON'S PERFECTION. The best mixture made for lawns, grass plots, etc. Nothing adds so much to the beauty of a country place as a well-kept, velvety lawn. In order to secure this, it is necessary to sow the proper grass seed. Our Perfection mixture is composed of the finest grasses, in proper proportions of the kinds that are best adapted or our hot, dry summers, and will form a close, velvety lawn very quickly after being sown. Oats should never be sown with our mixture, as our seed comes up quickly and strong, and is better without oats. For new lawns, use four bushels per acre. One quart will sow three hundred square feet. Qt., 20c.; pk., \$1.25; bu. (14 lbs.), \$4.00; measured bu. (21 lbs.), \$6.00. 2 bu. in a bag. Bags, 25c. extra.

If sent by mail, 5c. extra must be added for postage.

- FOR GOLF LINKS OR PUTTING GREENS. This mixture will be found to be unexcelled. It contains the finest grasses, and makes a close, firm, and lasting green turf. Pk., \$1.75; bu. (21 lbs.), \$6.00.
- FOR SHADY LAWNS. A mixture of fine grasses best adapted and most suitable for growing in shady places. Qt., 30c.; pk., \$1.75; bu. (21 lbs.), \$6.50.

For other grass seed, etc., see our Seed Catalogue, which will be mailed free on application.

Fertilizers

- PURE BONE MEAL. A quick acting and immediately available fertilizer for lawns and other grass lots. It is made from hard, dry bone, is perfectly pure, entirely free from acid, and can be used with perfect safety in any quantity. Bag (167 lbs.), \$5.00; ton, \$42.50.
- LAWN DRESSING. A clean and cheap fertilizer for enriching lawns and other grass plots. Use at the rate of half a ton per acre. Bag (167 lbs.), \$5.00; ton, \$42.50.
- PULVERIZED SHEEP MANURE. Excellent for top dressing lawns and other grass plots. Bag (100 lbs.), \$2.00; ton, \$35.00.
- UNLEACHED HARD WOOD ASHES. Particularly beneficial on lawns and other grass plots. Should be applied early in the spring. One to two tons per acre. Bag (100 lbs.), \$1.50; ton, \$25.00.

Offices and Show Room

are at Tarrytown, New York, which is our post office address, where all communications should be sent. We have here the finest flower store in the world, erected in 1914. From this part of our establishment we distribute to the retail trade the choiceest roses, carnations, violets, lily of the valley, and other flowers in their season, fresh from our own greenhouses at Scarborough, on the Albany Post Road, five miles north of Tarrytown. In our greenhouses at Tarrytown are grown the finest Pierson ferns and other varieties, of which we make a specialty; also palms and other decorative plants. We deal, also, extensively in all kinds of bulbs and seeds and other requisites for country estates.

Floral Decorations

given particular attention. We have men experienced in this line of work and have the facilities for the artistic arrangement of flowers and plants for all occasions.

Greenhouse Establishment,

located in Scarborough, New York, is one of the largest in the United States. The greenhouses recently erected are of immense size, each covering half an acre. These greenhouses are devoted to the cultivation of cut flowers, with which we supply the markets of New York, Boston, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, and other cities.

Nurseries

are at Scarborough, New York, adoining the rail-road station and extending two-thirds of a mile along Broadway. They comprize over fifty acres, and contain a large collection of the choicest and rarest hardy shrubs and trees in the country. We have a particularly fine stock of Rhododendrons in the finest hardy varieties; also elegent specimens of Hemlocks, Japanese Maples, Dogwoods, Colorado Blue Spruces, Juniperus Virginiana glauca and Pfitzeriana Thuya Standishi (Arbor Vitæ), Texus cuspidata (Yews), etc., etc.

Our nurseries are exceedingly interesting when the various shrubs are in bloom—from early spring until late fall. Visitors are always welcome. Buyers will find it much more satisfactory to make a personal selection of stock than to order from a catalogue; but where distance or time will not permit, orders sent by mail will receive most careful and

prompt attention.

Landscape Work

a most important feature of our business. We are prepared to design and carry out the most elaborate plans for planting private estates, either large or small, and employ experienced draughtsmen, who will be glad to submit suggestions or plans.

Catalogue of "Choice Ornamental Trees and

Shrubs" mailed free on application.

F. R. PIERSON CO. Tarrytown, New York.



